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PREVENTING TISSUE DAMAGE

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Sir:

This is a response to the non-final Office Action dated March 19, 2009. The above-referenced patent application has been amended as set forth below.

Please amend claims 1 and 5 as set forth in the "Amendments to the Claims" on pages 2 and 3 of this response.